



Rotary Club Of Walnut Creek
P.O. Box 4191
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Upcoming Events

65th Anniversary Celebration Western BBQ and Hoedown, Tuesday April 30, 2002 5pm Cocktails, 6:15pm Dinner, Shadelands Art Center, 111 N. Wiget Lane. See Fletcher Tyler.

District 5160 Conference Golf Tournament, Friday, May 16. If you are going to the District Conference in Ashland Oregon, play in the golf tournament at Eagle Point Golf Course. Shotgun start at noon, followed by awards dinner. Cost is \$80. Contact John Mathena mathenajo@aol.com or 503-223-1010.

District 5160 Annual Conference. Ashland Oregon, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, May 16-19. Register online at www.rotary5160.org.

Upcoming Meeting Programs

March 19: Les Howard on "Today's Video Formats."

March 26: Sheriff Warren Rupf

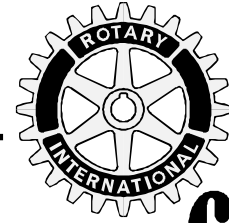
April 2 Travel Medicine, John Knowles MD

April 9 Russian Bakers

April 16 Wheelchair Foundation, Chris Lewis

April 23 Bonanza Street Books; Peter Guadagni

April 30 No Meeting



The Walnut Leaf

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This Week's Worker Bees

Presiding Roger Dolan
Team Captain Mike Frost
Speaker Intro..... Marv Epstein
Thought/Pledge..... Les Howard
Visitors Intro..... Mike Frost
Bulletin Editor..... John McClintic
Next Bulletin Editor.... John McClintic

Roving Microphone..... Mike Frost
Set-Up/Take-Down..... Mike Frost
Song Leader..... Doug Goodrich
Ticket Sales.....
Birthdays.....
Anniversaries.....

THIS PROGRAM

Dr. Samuel Oommen on Colon Cancer.

Welcome to Our Friends from
the Rotary Club of Rossmoor

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**CLUB NO. 4191
ROTARY
INTERNATIONAL
DISTRICT 5160**

Chartered April 7, 1937

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International President

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rotary District 5160 Annual District Conference

Ashland, Oregon

This year's District Conference offers a special setting for fine dining and fabulous theater, as well as the usual District programs and events. Send your registration form in now, and book your hotel so that you will be sure to be able to join in all of the fun and fellowship.

For information and registration, go to the District website www.rotary5160.org.

Thursday, May16-SportsDay

Afternoon **Golf at Eagle Point Golf Course**
Evening **Sports Banquet at Eagle Point Golf Course.**

Directions: Take I-5 Exit 30 (Rt62) East 8.5 Miles.

Friday, May17-Foundation Day

9:30-10:30AM - **PDG Breakfast** Windmill Inn

10:30-11:30AM (Delegates)- **Legislative Session** Windmill Inn

12:00-2:00PM **Opening Lunch** Speaker Sharon Tennison, CCI

2:00-4:00PM PEP; Russian Leadership Program; GSE Presentations; Matching Grants; Ambassadorial Scholars

5:00-6:30PM – **Club Fellowship-Buffer Dinner and Drinks**

7:30-10:30PM **Ashland Armory** Dessert with Paul Harris;

Swing Dancing with Leslie Kendall and the Jump Daddies

Saturday, May18-“NewGeneration”Day

8:00-9:30AM - **Breakfast** Windmill Inn

10:00-12:00PM - **Theater Tour** The New Theater

12:00-1:30PM - **Lunch** Windmill Inn; President's Representative

1:30-2:00PM **Entertainment**

2:00-4:00PM **Forum** Global Quest Awards; Avenues of Service Awards; Interact; Rotaract; Speech Contest Finalists; Ambassadorial Scholars

5:00-8:00PM **Dine Around in Ashland**

Restaurants

8:00PM **Theater Night** Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf? Macbeth

Sunday, May19-Wrap-UpDay

8:30-10:00AM -Windmill Inn **Brunch** Entertainment; Outstanding Club Awards; Next Year's Conference; Closing Remarks

Accommodations

The Windmill Inn can accommodate all Conference participants. A block of rooms has been set aside for us.

Make reservations directly at:

Windmill Inn of Ashland

2525 Ashland Street

Ashland, OR 97520

1-800-547-4747

Thought for the Day, Shared by Bob Schroder on March 12th:

If the world's population of 6.2 billion+ were reduced to a village of 100, those 100 would have the following characteristics:

Homeland: 58 Asian, 12 African, 10 West

European, 8 Latin American, 5 North American, 1 Australian/New Zealand.

Native Language: 17 Mandarin, 9 English, 8 Hindi/Urdu, 6 Russian, 6 Spanish, 4 Arabic, the remainder would speak Bengali, Portuguese, Indonesian, Japanese, German, French, or one of 200 other possible languages.

Religious Affiliation: 29 Christian, 17 no religion, 14 Islam, 13 Hindu, 12 Buddhist, 9 Confucian or Shinto, 5 Animist (traditional), 1 Jewish.

Education: 70 illiterate; 1 college educated

Health/Nutrition: 50 malnourished; 33 without access to clean, safe drinking water.

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Mark your calendars and bring your spouse to celebrate our Club's 65th Anniversary.

We also need your help in locating and contacting all of the students who have participated in the Rotary Club of Kohoku Japan exchange program. We want to invite them (and their guest) to be our guests at the dinner. Please give any information you have to Fletcher Tyler.

The Russian Bakers Are Coming!

Mark your calendars for the following Club

events for the visiting delegation of bakers from Russia:

April 6th 3-6pm Welcome Party at Adrian Mendes' home

April 9th Program at our Regular Club Meeting

April 20th Farewell Party

See **Russ Anderson** if you can host a member of the visiting delegation.

In Memoriam

We have learned that our friend and Club member **Floyd Comstock** passed away on March 1, 2002, at age 100. Floyd was born on January 1, 1902, and joined the Club as an active member in the classification Architecture and served for many years before retiring to Grass Valley. A Memorial Service will be held in Auburn on March 16, at 2pm. Please contact Adrian Mendes for further information about the services.

Paul Harris Fellowships—Special Matching Funds Grant for District 5160

Take advantage of a special \$44,000 grant to District 5160 which will be used to provide matching funds to members completing their Paul Harris Fellow memberships.

Has your personal information changed?

If your mailing address, telephone or fax numbers, email address, or other personal information changes, please tell the Club Secretary, **Clint Collier**, so that he can keep our records up to date. Contact Clint at the meetings or by email to clintc@rotarywc.org.